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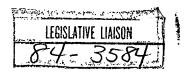
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United States Senate

WASHINGTON, D.C. 20510

September 19, 1984



External Affairs Central Intelligence Agency Washington, D.C. 20505

Dear Director:

Enclosed is correspondence I received recently from Mr. Thomas Walker at Ohio University in Ohio, concerning the capture of Professor Ray Hooker by Contras in Nicaragua a week ago.

It would be helpful if someone would look into this matter and advise me if something can be done to assist.

Very sincerely yours,

Howard M. Metzenbaum United States Senator

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SENATOR HOWARD METZENBAUM

URGENTLY REQUEST YOU USE YOUR INFLUENCE TO GET CIA TO SAVE LIFE OF OHIO UNIVERSITY GRADUATE PROFESSOR RAY HOOKER KIDNAPPED BY CONTRAS IN NICARAGUA SEPTEMBER 5. DETAILS IN NEW YORK TIMES SEPTEMBER 10. THANK YOU.

(SPECIALIST ON NICARAGUA)

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